

Call of the Canyon

Spring Calendar of Events

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Moonlit Hike

Join park staff for a moonlit, two-mile hike. Enjoy the unique opportunity to see the canyon by moon-glow!
Sat., 3/15, 8:30-10:00 pm
Sat., 4/12, 8:00-9:30 pm

Lava Tube Hike

Join park staff for a two-mile, round-trip hike and the chance to explore the unique formations of a lava tube!
Sat., 3/22, 9:00-10:30 am
Sat., 5/24, 9:00-10:30 am

Star Walk

Take part in a ranger-guided stroll under the stars and explore the 'Winter Circle'—a bright pattern of stars adorning our chilly, March skies!
Fri., 3/28, 7:30-9:00 pm

Scorpion Search

Have you ever wanted to see a scorpion up close? Join us to learn more about these amazing creatures and search for resident scorpions!
Sat., 4/5, 8:30-9:30 pm

Sunset Hike

Explore the twilight sights and sounds of the

canyon during a 1.5-mile, roundtrip hike.
Fri., 4/18, 7:45-9:00 pm
Fri., 5/30, 8:15-9:30 pm

Who's In Your Backyard?

Join Urban Wildlife Specialist, Martin Schijf, for an evening presentation on common wildlife issues in area neighborhoods. Learn how these wildlife conflicts (and perceived conflicts) are handled, and what you can do to reduce unwanted urban wildlife encounters.
Fri., 4/25, 7:00-8:00 pm

Nature Sketchwalk
Admire the changing colors of early evening and enjoy the magic of sketching nature on this 1.5 mile, round-trip hike!

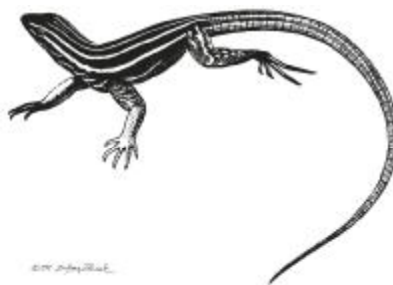
Fri, 5/2, 6:00-7:30 pm

Nature's Bounty
Learn to identify traditional uses of some of Snow Canyon's edible and medicinal plants during this 1.5-mile, round-trip hike.
Sat, 5/10, 8:00-9:30 am

Desert Reptile Awareness

Are you aware that Southern Utah has the greatest number of reptiles in the state because it is in a transition zone between the Mojave Desert, Great Basin Desert, and the Colorado Plateau? Join Ann McLuckie, Wildlife Biologist, and learn more about their unique desert adaptations during an evening slide show. Next day, join us on a morning hike and look for signs of reptiles!
Fri., 5/16, 7:00-8:00 pm
- Slide presentation
Sat., 5/17, 10:00-11:30 pm
- Hike

This spring look for whiptail lizards sunning themselves on rocks along trails in Snow Canyon.



All listed events are free and open to the public. Space is limited; registration required. Program registration is held two days preceding the scheduled event.

Register by phone or in person. For more information or to register for a program contact park staff at (435) 628-2255.

Johnson Canyon
ranger-guided hikes offered twice weekly.

Program times vary—please call (435) 628-2255 for current weekly schedule.

Spring in the Canyon

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***In the spring, at the end of the day,
you should smell like dirt.***

~ Margaret Atwood, *Bluebeard's Egg*



***Spring is nature's way
of saying, 'Let's Party!'***

~ Robin Williams